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Deep Bay Fire Update

The Deep Bay Fire acreage has increased to approximately 40.

Reinforcements are on the way from Mattamuskeet and Pocosin Lakes National Wildlife Refuges with two Marshmasters. These pieces of specialized equipment join the recently ordered Marshmasters from Alligator River and the NC Forest Service. This brings the total equipment to 4 Marshmasters, 2 Flextracks, a spotter plane and an engine.

For more frequent updates on this fire, visit www.fws.gov/alligatorriver/deepbayfire.html or follow the fire on Facebook at USFWS in North Carolina.